

## HAMMOND CLARK ROLLS TO VICTORY AGAINST TALENTED HIGH SCHOOL BOWLING FIELD

### Pioneers dominate from start, hold off Griffith to win Boone Grove Invitational

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Stan Zatorski's Hammond Clark Pioneers were not about to let this year's Boone Grove Invite title slip through their fingers similar to the 2007 event. The defending state champion Pioneers jumped out to an early lead with a starting game of 945 and never looked back. They dismantled Wabash Valley conference power Frankfort 2-0 in the semi-finals before hanging on to defeat a highly motivated Griffith squad 2-1. The title match went to the wire as Griffith anchor Kyle Lidster could have forced a tie by striking out, but left a tough 4-pin in the eleventh of the deciding third game. Highland finished third, Frankfort fourth, and Suburban conference leaders Kankakee Valley finished fifth.

Top individual performances were turned in by Derrick Diezak (Highland) 429, Brandon Beason (Hammond Clark) 425, and Blake Richards (Frankfort) 416.

The 15-team field some of the region and state's top ranked teams. In addition to Clark, Griffith, Highland, Frankfort, and Kankakee Valley, other participants were Michigan City and Chesterton (Porter-Laporte), Hebron and Boone Grove (Suburban), Elkhart Memorial and Jimtown (Michiana Central), Hobart (Duneland), Crown Point and Merrillville (Westlake).



**HAMMOND CLARK PIONEERS**



**GRIFFITH PANTHERS**

#### Final Standings

	Qualifying
1 HAMMOND CLARK	3,175
2 GRIFFITH	3,110
3 HIGHLAND	3,092
4 FRANKFORT	2,827
5 KANKAKEE VALLEY	2,795
6 CROWN POINT	2,792
7 CHESTERTON	2,786
8 MICHIGAN CITY	2,738
9 HEBRON	2,694
10 HOBART	2,660
11 ELKHART MEMORIAL	2,643
12 BOONE GROVE	2,611
13 JIMTOWN	2,542
14 MERRILLVILLE	2,531
15 BOONE II	2,531

#### Top 5 Individuals

1	Derrick Diezak (Highland)	429
2	Brandon Beason (Clark)	425
3	Blake Richards (Frankfort)	416
4	Trace Howard (Clark)	415
5	Zach Uhles (Hobart)	398

# BOONE GROVE INVITE - STANDINGS

TEAM	GAME 1	GAME 2	QUALIFYING TOTAL	Baker Total	Overall Total	Final Rank	Qualifyin g RANK	POOL
HAMMOND CLARK	945	952	1,897	1,278	3,175	1	1	A
GRIFFITH	904	922	1,826	1,284	3,110	2	2	B
HIGHLAND	864	913	1,777	1,315	3,092	3	3	C
FRANKFORT	836	894	1,730	1,097	2,827	4	4	D
KANKAKEE VALLEY	802	864	1,666	1,129	2,795	5	5	D
CROWN POINT	785	853	1,638	1,154	2,792	6	7	B
CHESTERTON	770	875	1,645	1,141	2,786	7	6	C
MICHIGAN CITY	795	811	1,606	1,132	2,738	8	11	C
HEBRON	719	891	1,610	1,084	2,694	9	10	B
HOBART	848	748	1,596	1,064	2,660	10	13	D
ELKHART MEMORIAL	797	801	1,598	1,045	2,643	11	12	D
BOONE GROVE	793	844	1,637	974	2,611	12	8	A
JIMTOWN	802	699	1,501	1,041	2,542	13	14	C
MERRILLVILLE	855	779	1,634	897	2,531	14	9	A
BOONE II	757	737	1,494	1,037	2,531	14	15	B
PORTAGE	1	-	1	-	1	16	16	A



TEAM	QUALIFYING TOTAL	GM1	GM2	BONUS	GM3	GM4	BONUS	GM5	GM6	BONUS	TOTAL	FINAL POSITION
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## POOL A

1	HAMMOND CLARK	1897	194	192	60	166	181	60	181	184	60	3175	A1
8	BOONE GROVE	1637	147	148	60	185	149	20	141	124	0	2611	12
9	MERRILLVILLE	1634	146	141	0	133	138	0	146	173	20	2531	14
16	PORTAGE	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	16

## POOL B

2	GRIFFITH	1826	171	169	60	184	200	60	191	209	40	3110	B1
7	CROWN POINT	1638	162	219	40	158	140	20	221	174	20	2792	6
10	HEBRON	1610	199	158	20	140	184	0	161	182	40	2694	9
15	BOONE II	1494	163	147	0	156	186	40	168	157	20	2531	14

## POOL C

3	HIGHLAND	1777	247	144	40	192	175	60	212	185	60	3092	C1
6	CHESTERTON	1645	167	199	0	198	191	60	158	168	0	2786	7
11	MICHIGAN CITY	1606	214	202	60	173	167	0	159	137	20	2738	8
14	JIMTOWN	1501	190	158	20	153	182	0	154	144	40	2542	13

## POOL D

4	FRANKFORT	1730	161	200	50	132	177	20	158	159	40	2827	D1
5	KANKAKEE VALLEY	1666	148	193	0	225	172	60	137	174	20	2795	5
12	ELKHART MEMORIAL	1598	173	201	60	191	128	40	135	117	0	2643	11
13	HOBART	1596	161	159	10	164	165	0	138	207	60	2660	10

# CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND

#1 HAMMOND CLARK (183, 202, x)

#4 FRANKFORT (137, 167, x)

#2 GRIFFITH 2-1 (174, 210, 190)

#3 HIGHLAND (186, 146, 180)

HAMMOND CLARK 2-1 (195, 204, 191)

HAMMOND CLARK

GRIFFITH (156, 236, 182)

# CONSOLATION EVENT

BOONE GROVE

Lanes 1 & 2

JIMTOWN

JIMTOWN

Lanes 3 & 4

KANKAKEE VALLEY

KANKAKEE VALLEY

Lanes 7 & 8

KANKAKEE VALLEY 162, 178

HEBRON

Lanes 3 & 4

PORTAGE

HEBRON

Lanes 1 & 2

MICHIGAN CITY

HEBRON

Lanes 5 & 6 (Best 2 of 3)

**KANKAKEE VALLEY**

Consolation Champion

ELKHART MEMORIAL

Lanes 5 & 6

MERRILLVILLE

MERRILLVILLE

Lanes 7 & 8

CROWN POINT

CROWN POINT

Lanes 5 & 6 (Best 2 of 3)

HOBART

Lanes 7 & 8

BOONE JV

BOONE JV

Lanes 5 & 6

CHESTERTON

Lanes 3 & 4

CHESTERTON

CROWN POINT 158, 152